

## **IC 33-4**

### **ARTICLE 4. CIRCUIT COURTS**

#### **IC 33-4-1**

##### **Chapter 1. Judicial Circuits of Indiana**

#### **IC 33-4-1-1**

##### **Adams county**

Sec. 1. The County of Adams shall constitute the Twenty-sixth Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1897, c.60, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-2**

##### **Allen county**

Sec. 2. The county of Allen shall constitute the Thirty-eighth Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1873, c.29, s.39; Acts 1875, c.35, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-2.1**

##### **Allen county; magistrate; appointment**

Sec. 2.1. The judge of the Allen circuit court may appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7. The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judge.

*As added by P.L.292-1985, SEC.1. Amended by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.6.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-2.2**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-2.3**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-2.4**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-2.5**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-2.6**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-2.7**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-2.8**

#### **Allen county; paternity actions; hearing officer; salary**

Sec. 2.8. (a) The Allen circuit court has concurrent jurisdiction with the Allen superior court concerning paternity actions.

(b) In addition to the magistrate appointed under section 2.1 of this chapter, the judge of the Allen circuit court may appoint a hearing officer with the powers of a magistrate under IC 33-4-7. The hearing officer continues in office until removed by the judge.

(c) The salary of a hearing officer appointed under subsection (b) is equal to that of a magistrate under IC 33-4-7. The hearing officer's salary must be paid by the county. The hearing officer is a county employee.

*As added by P.L.281-1995, SEC.1.*

### **IC 33-4-1-3**

#### **Bartholomew county**

Sec. 3. The county of Bartholomew shall be and constitute the ninth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1919, c.10, s.1; Acts 1927, c.138, s.1; Acts 1965, c.328, s.1.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-4**

#### **Benton county**

Sec. 4. (a) The county of Benton shall constitute the seventy-sixth judicial circuit.

(b) The Benton circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1929, c.3, s.2.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.1.*

### **IC 33-4-1-4.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-4.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-5**

#### **Blackford county**

Sec. 5. The county of Blackford shall be and constitute the seventy-first judicial circuit of the state of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1923, c.66, s.1; Acts 1961, c.233, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.2; P.L.186-1986, SEC.1.*

### **IC 33-4-1-5.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-5.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-6**

##### **Boone county**

Sec. 6. The county of Boone shall constitute the Twentieth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1883, c.52, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-7**

##### **Brown county**

Sec. 7. (a) The county of Brown shall constitute the eighty-eighth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Brown circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

(c) The judge of the Brown circuit court may appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7. The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judge.

*(Formerly: Acts 1899, c.126, s.3; Acts 1972, P.L.205, SEC.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.3; P.L.133-1992, SEC.2.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-7.1**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-7.2**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-8**

##### **Carroll county**

Sec. 8. (a) The county of Carroll shall be and constitute the seventy-fourth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Carroll circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1927, c.9, s.1; Acts 1957, c.34, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.4.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-8.1**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-8.2**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-9**

##### **Cass county**

Sec. 9. The twenty-ninth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana shall consist of the county of Cass.

*(Formerly: Acts 1881(ss), c.27, s.1; Acts 1955, c.198, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-10**

##### **Clark county**

Sec. 10. (a) The county of Clark shall constitute the Fourth Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The judges of the Clark circuit court and Clark superior court may jointly appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7 to serve the circuit and superior courts.

(c) The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judges of the Clark circuit and superior courts.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.29, s.1.) As amended by P.L.196-1999, SEC.3.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-11**

##### **Clay county**

Sec. 11. Clay county shall constitute the 13th judicial circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1911, c.55, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-12**

##### **Clinton county**

Sec. 12. The county of Clinton shall constitute the Forty-fifth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1883, c.52, s.2.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-13**

##### **Crawford county**

Sec. 13. (a) The county of Crawford constitutes the seventy-seventh judicial circuit.

(b) The Crawford circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1919, c.8, s.2; Acts 1921, c.41, s.1; Acts 1923, c.160, s.1; Acts 1929, c.174, s.1; Acts 1935, c.310, s.1.) As amended by P.L.292-1983, SEC.3; P.L.167-1984, SEC.5.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-14**

##### **Daviess county**

Sec. 14. The county of Daviess shall be and constitute the forty-ninth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1947, c.7, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-14.1**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1976, P.L.132, SEC.45.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-14.2**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1976, P.L.132, SEC.45.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-15**

##### **Dearborn and Ohio counties**

Sec. 15. The counties of Dearborn and Ohio shall constitute the Seventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1897, c.134, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-16**

##### **Decatur county**

Sec. 16. The county of Decatur shall be and constitute the sixty-ninth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1919, c.10, s.1; Acts 1927, c.138, s.1; Acts 1965, c.328, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-17**

##### **Dekalb county**

Sec. 17. The county of Dekalb shall be and constitute the seventy-fifth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1927, c.51, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-18**

##### **Delaware county**

Sec. 18. (a) The county of Delaware shall constitute the Forty-sixth Judicial Circuit.

(b) There are five (5) judges of the Delaware circuit court.

*(Formerly: Acts 1885, c.27, s.2.) As amended by P.L.124-2000, SEC.1.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-19**

##### **Dubois county**

Sec. 19. The county of Dubois shall be and constitute the fifty-seventh judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1947, c.7, s.1.) As amended by Acts 1980, P.L.187, SEC.1.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-20**

##### **Elkhart county**

Sec. 20. The county of Elkhart shall be and constitute the thirty-fourth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1927, c.51, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-20.1**

##### **Elkhart county; appointment of magistrate**

Sec. 20.1. (a) The judges of the Elkhart circuit and superior courts may jointly appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7 to serve the circuit and superior courts.

(b) The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judges of the circuit and superior courts.

*As added by P.L.18-1995, SEC.16.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-21**

##### **Fayette county**

Sec. 21. The county of Fayette shall be and constitute the Seventy-third Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1921, c.217, s.2.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-22**

#### **Floyd county**

Sec. 22. (a) The county of Floyd shall constitute the Fifty-second Judicial Circuit.

(b) The judges of the Floyd circuit court, Floyd superior court, and Floyd county court may jointly appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7 to serve the circuit, superior, and county courts.

(c) The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judges of the Floyd circuit, superior, and county courts.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.29, s.1.) As amended by P.L.196-1999, SEC.4.*

### **IC 33-4-1-23**

#### **Fountain county**

Sec. 23. (a) The county of Fountain shall constitute the sixty-first judicial circuit.

(b) The Fountain circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1905, c.68, s.2.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.6.*

### **IC 33-4-1-23.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-23.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-24**

#### **Franklin county**

Sec. 24. (a) The county of Franklin shall constitute the thirty-seventh judicial circuit.

(b) The Franklin circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1921, c.217, s.1; Acts 1974, P.L.137, SEC.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.7.*

### **IC 33-4-1-24.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-24.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.1-1990, SEC.316.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-25**

#### **Fulton county**

Sec. 25. The county of Fulton shall be and constitute the forty-first judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1927, c.12, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-25.1**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1977, P.L.322, SEC.2.)*

**IC 33-4-1-25.2**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1977, P.L.322, SEC.2.)*

**IC 33-4-1-26**

**Gibson county**

Sec. 26. The county of Gibson shall constitute the sixty-sixth judicial circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1913, c.3, s.2.)*

**IC 33-4-1-27**

**Grant county**

Sec. 27. The county of Grant shall constitute the forty-eighth judicial circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1893, c.144, s.2; Acts 1957, c.96, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-28**

**Greene county**

Sec. 28. The County of Greene shall be and constitute the sixty-third judicial circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1911, c.13, s.1; Acts 1953, c.179, s.1; Acts 1959, c.249, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-29**

**Hamilton county**

Sec. 29. The County of Hamilton shall constitute the Twenty-Fourth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.11, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-30**

**Hancock county**

Sec. 30. The county of Hancock in said State shall constitute the Eighteenth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.20, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-31**

**Harrison county**

Sec. 31. The county of Harrison constitutes the third judicial circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1919, c.8, s.2; Acts 1921, c.41, s.1; Acts 1923, c.160, s.1; Acts 1929, c.174, s.1; Acts 1935, c.310, s.1.) As amended by P.L.292-1983, SEC.2.*

**IC 33-4-1-32**

**Hendricks county**

Sec. 32. The County of Hendricks shall constitute the Fifty-fifth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.36, s.2; Acts 1957, c.56, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-33**

**Henry county**

Sec. 33. The county of Henry in said State shall constitute the Fifty-Third Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.20, s.2.)*

**IC 33-4-1-34**

**Howard county**

Sec. 34. The county of Howard shall constitute the sixty-second judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1909, c.35, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-35**

**Huntington county**

Sec. 35. The county of Huntington shall constitute the Fifty-sixth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1893, c.144, s.3.)*

**IC 33-4-1-36**

**Jackson county**

Sec. 36. The county of Jackson shall be and constitute the fortieth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1941, c.9, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-37**

**Jasper county**

Sec. 37. (a) The county of Jasper shall be and constitute the thirtieth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Jasper circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1929, c.245, s.1.) As amended by P.L.18-1995, SEC.17.*

**IC 33-4-1-38**

**Jay county**

Sec. 38. The county of Jay, in said State, shall constitute the Fifty-eighth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1897, c.60, s.2.)*

**IC 33-4-1-39**

**Jefferson and Switzerland counties**

Sec. 39. The counties of Jefferson and Switzerland shall constitute the Fifth Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1897, c.134, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-40**

**Jennings county**

Sec. 40. (a) The county of Jennings shall be and constitute the



eighty-sixth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Jennings circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1935, c.137, s.1; Acts 1971, P.L.428, SEC.2.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.8.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-40.1**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-40.2**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-41**

##### **Johnson county**

Sec. 41. The County of Johnson shall constitute the Eighth Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1899, c.126, s.3; Acts 1972, P.L.205, SEC.2.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-41.1**

##### **Johnson circuit and superior courts; magistrate; appointment; term**

Sec. 41.1. (a) The judges of the Johnson circuit and superior courts may jointly appoint one (1) full-time magistrate to serve both the circuit and superior courts.

(b) The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judges of the Johnson circuit and superior courts.

*As added by P.L.40-1990, SEC.4.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-42**

##### **Knox county**

Sec. 42. The county of Knox shall constitute the Twelfth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1885(ss), c.28, s.2.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-43**

##### **Kosciusko county**

Sec. 43. The Fifty-fourth Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana shall be composed of the county of Kosciusko.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.42, s.3.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-44**

##### **LaGrange county**

Sec. 44. The County of LaGrange shall be and constitute the thirty-fifth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1953, c.9, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-45**

##### **Lake county**

Sec. 45. (a) The county of Lake shall constitute the 31st judicial circuit.

(b) The judge of the Lake circuit court may appoint two (2) full-time magistrates under IC 33-4-7 to serve the Lake circuit court. One (1) of the magistrates shall serve the domestic relations counseling bureau established under IC 31-12-2. The judge shall specify the duties of a magistrate appointed under this subsection. A magistrate continues in office until removed by the judge of the circuit court.

*(Formerly: Acts 1913, c.34, s.1.) As amended by P.L.18-1995, SEC.18; P.L.1-1997, SEC.121; P.L.196-1999, SEC.5.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-46**

##### **LaPorte county**

Sec. 46. (a) The county of LaPorte shall constitute the Thirty-second Judicial Circuit.

(b) The judges of the LaPorte circuit court and LaPorte superior court No. 4 may jointly appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7 to serve the circuit and superior courts.

(c) The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judges of the LaPorte circuit court and LaPorte superior court No. 4.

*(Formerly: Acts 1897, c.13, s.1.) As amended by P.L.196-1999, SEC.6.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-47**

##### **Lawrence county**

Sec. 47. The county of Lawrence shall be and constitute the eighty-first judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1941, c.9, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-48**

##### **Madison county**

Sec. 48. The County of Madison shall constitute the Fiftieth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.11, s.2.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-49**

##### **Marion county**

Sec. 49. Marion County shall constitute the 19th Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.36, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-50**

##### **Marshall county**

Sec. 50. The county of Marshall shall be and constitute the seventy-second judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1927, c.12, s.1.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-51**

##### **Martin county**

Sec. 51. (a) The county of Martin shall be and constitute the ninetieth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Martin circuit court has a standard small claims and

misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1947, c.7, s.1.) As amended by Acts 1980, P.L.187, SEC.2; P.L.167-1984, SEC.9.*

### **IC 33-4-1-51.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-52**

#### **Miami county**

Sec. 52. That the County of Miami shall constitute the Fifty-first Judicial Circuit of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.16, s.2.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-53**

#### **Monroe county; number of judges**

Sec. 53. (a) The county of Monroe shall be and constitute the tenth judicial circuit of the state of Indiana.

(b) There are seven (7) judges of the Monroe circuit court.

*(Formerly: Acts 1937, c.73, s.1.) As amended by P.L.40-1990, SEC.5; P.L.18-1995, SEC.19.*

### **IC 33-4-1-54**

#### **Montgomery county**

Sec. 54. The twenty-second Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana shall be composed of the county of Montgomery.

*(Formerly: Acts 1885, c.19, s.2.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-55**

#### **Morgan county**

Sec. 55. The county of Morgan shall constitute the fifteenth judicial circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1911, c.131, s.3; Acts 1955, c.213, s.1.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-56**

#### **Newton county**

Sec. 56. (a) The county of Newton shall be and constitute the seventy-ninth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Newton circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1929, c.245, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.10.*

### **IC 33-4-1-56.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-56.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-57**

#### **Noble county**

Sec. 57. The County of Noble shall be and constitute the thirty-third judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1943, c.26, s.1.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-58**

#### **Dearborn and Ohio counties**

Sec. 58. The counties of Dearborn and Ohio shall constitute the Seventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1897, c.134, s.1.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-59**

#### **Orange county**

Sec. 59. The county of Orange shall be and constitute the eighty-seventh judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.91, s.1; Acts 1972, P.L.206, SEC.1.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-59.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1978, P.L.141, SEC.6.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-59.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1978, P.L.141, SEC.6.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-60**

#### **Owen county**

Sec. 60. (a) The county of Owen shall be and constitute the seventy-eighth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Owen circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1937, c.73, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.11.*

### **IC 33-4-1-60.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-60.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-61**

#### **Parke county**

Sec. 61. (a) The county of Parke be and shall constitute the sixty-eighth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Parke circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1915, c.21, s.1; Acts 1941, c.105, s.1; Acts 1945,*

*c.146, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.12.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-61.1**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-61.2**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-62**

##### **Perry county**

Sec. 62. (a) The county of Perry shall be and constitute the seventieth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Perry circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1953, c.6, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.13.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-62.1**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-62.2**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-63**

##### **Pike county**

Sec. 63. (a) The county of Pike shall be and constitute the eighty-third judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Pike circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1945, c.37, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.14.*

#### **IC 33-4-1-63.1**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-63.2**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-64**

##### **Porter county**

Sec. 64. The county of Porter shall constitute the sixty-seventh judicial circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1913, c.34, s.2.)*

#### **IC 33-4-1-65**

### **Posey county**

Sec. 65. Posey County shall constitute the eleventh judicial circuit.  
(Formerly: *Acts 1913, c.3, s.1; Acts 1919, c.164, s.1; Acts 1955, c.214, s.1.*)

### **IC 33-4-1-66**

#### **Pulaski county**

Sec. 66. The county of Pulaski shall be and constitute the fifty-ninth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.  
(Formerly: *Acts 1935, c.136, s.1.*)

### **IC 33-4-1-66.1**

#### **Repealed**

(Repealed by *Acts 1977, P.L.322, SEC.2.*)

### **IC 33-4-1-66.2**

#### **Repealed**

(Repealed by *Acts 1977, P.L.322, SEC.2.*)

### **IC 33-4-1-67**

#### **Putnam county**

Sec. 67. The county of Putnam shall constitute the sixty-fourth judicial circuit.  
(Formerly: *Acts 1911, c.55, s.2; Acts 1923, c.100, s.1.*)

### **IC 33-4-1-68**

#### **Randolph county**

Sec. 68. The county of Randolph, in said State, shall constitute the Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit.  
(Formerly: *Acts 1885, c.27, s.1.*)

### **IC 33-4-1-69**

#### **Ripley county**

Sec. 69. (a) The county of Ripley shall be and constitute the eightieth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Ripley circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

(Formerly: *Acts 1935, c.137, s.1.*) As amended by *P.L.167-1984, SEC.15.*

### **IC 33-4-1-69.1**

#### **Repealed**

(Repealed by *P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.*)

### **IC 33-4-1-69.2**

#### **Repealed**

(Repealed by *P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.*)

### **IC 33-4-1-70**

#### **Rush county**

Sec. 70. The county of Rush shall constitute the sixty-fifth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.  
(Formerly: Acts 1913, c.2, s.1.)

#### **IC 33-4-1-71**

##### **Scott county**

Sec. 71. The county of Scott shall be and constitute the sixth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.  
(Formerly: Acts 1935, c.137, s.1; Acts 1971, P.L.428, SEC.1.)

#### **IC 33-4-1-71.1**

##### **Repealed**

(Repealed by Acts 1978, P.L.141, SEC.7(a).)

#### **IC 33-4-1-71.2**

##### **Repealed**

(Repealed by Acts 1978, P.L.141, SEC.7(a).)

#### **IC 33-4-1-72**

##### **Shelby county**

Sec. 72. The county of Shelby shall constitute the sixteenth judicial circuit.  
(Formerly: Acts 1913, c.2, s.1.)

#### **IC 33-4-1-73**

##### **Spencer county**

Sec. 73. (a) The county of Spencer shall be and constitute the eighty-fourth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Spencer circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

(Formerly: Acts 1953, c.6, s.2.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.16.

#### **IC 33-4-1-73.1**

##### **Repealed**

(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)

#### **IC 33-4-1-73.2**

##### **Repealed**

(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)

#### **IC 33-4-1-74**

##### **Starke county**

Sec. 74. (a) The county of Starke shall be and constitute the forty-fourth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Starke circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

(Formerly: Acts 1935, c.136, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.17.

#### **IC 33-4-1-74.1**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

**IC 33-4-1-74.2**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

**IC 33-4-1-74.3**

**Starke circuit court; magistrate; appointment**

Sec. 74.3. The judge of the Starke circuit court may appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7. The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judge.

*As added by Acts 1977, P.L.314, SEC.1. Amended by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.7.*

**IC 33-4-1-74.4**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

**IC 33-4-1-74.5**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

**IC 33-4-1-74.6**

**Starke county; inherent powers of judicial mandate**

Sec. 74.6. All inherent powers of judicial mandate in Starke county remain vested solely in the judge of the Starke circuit court.

*As added by Acts 1977, P.L.314, SEC.4.*

**IC 33-4-1-74.7**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

**IC 33-4-1-74.8**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

**IC 33-4-1-74.9**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

**IC 33-4-1-75**

**St. Joseph county**

Sec. 75. The County of St. Joseph shall constitute the Sixtieth Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1897, c.13, s.2; Acts 1901, c.31, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-75.1**

**St. Joseph circuit court; magistrates; appointment**

Sec. 75.1. The judge of the St. Joseph circuit court may appoint two



(2) full-time magistrates under IC 33-4-7 to serve the circuit court. A magistrate continues in office until removed by the judge.

*As added by Acts 1980, P.L.188, SEC.1. Amended by Acts 1981, P.L.274, SEC.2; P.L.171-1984, SEC.19; P.L.294-1985, SEC.1; P.L.187-1986, SEC.1; P.L.378-1987(ss), SEC.5; P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.8; P.L.196-1999, SEC.7.*

### **IC 33-4-1-75.2**

#### **St. Joseph county; computerized jury selection system**

Sec. 75.2. Notwithstanding any other provision of this title, the jury commissioners, the superior court, and the circuit court of St. Joseph County may utilize a computerized jury selection system. However, the system utilized for the selection of jurors must be fair and may not violate the rights of persons with respect to the impartial and random selection of prospective jurors.

*As added by P.L.300-1983, SEC.1.*

### **IC 33-4-1-75.3**

#### **References to judges' retirement system**

Sec. 75.3. A reference to the judges' retirement system under IC 33-13-8 shall be deemed a reference to the judges' retirement fund under IC 33-13.

*As added by P.L.293-1985, SEC.2.*

### **IC 33-4-1-76**

#### **Steuben county**

Sec. 76. The County of Steuben shall be and constitute the eighty-fifth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1953, c.9, s.1.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-76.1**

#### **Steuben county; appointment of magistrate**

Sec. 76.1. (a) The judges of the Steuben circuit and superior courts may jointly appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7 to serve the circuit and superior courts.

(b) The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judges of the Steuben circuit and superior courts.

*As added by P.L.18-1995, SEC.20.*

### **IC 33-4-1-77**

#### **Sullivan county**

Sec. 77. (a) The County of Sullivan shall be and constitute the fourteenth judicial circuit.

(b) The judge of the Sullivan circuit court and the judge of the Sullivan superior court may jointly appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7 to serve the circuit and superior courts.

(c) The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judge of the Sullivan circuit court and the judge of the Sullivan superior court.  
*(Formerly: Acts 1911, c.13, s.1; Acts 1953, c.179, s.1; Acts 1959, c.249, s.1.) As amended by P.L.196-1999, SEC.8.*

### **IC 33-4-1-78**

#### **Jefferson and Switzerland counties**

Sec. 78. The counties of Jefferson and Switzerland shall constitute the Fifth Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1897, c.134, s.1.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-79**

#### **Tippecanoe county**

Sec. 79. The county of Tippecanoe shall constitute the Twenty-third Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1873, c.29, s.24; Acts 1875, c.32, s.1; Acts 1877(ss), c.11, s.1.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-80**

#### **Tipton county**

Sec. 80. (a) The county of Tipton shall constitute the thirty-sixth judicial circuit.

(b) The Tipton circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1909, c.35, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.18.*

### **IC 33-4-1-80.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-80.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-81**

#### **Union county**

Sec. 81. (a) The county of Union shall constitute the eighty-ninth judicial circuit.

(b) The Union circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1921, c.217, s.1; Acts 1974, P.L.137, SEC.4.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.19.*

### **IC 33-4-1-81.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-81.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-82**

#### **Vanderburgh county**

Sec. 82. The county of Vanderburgh shall constitute the first judicial

circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1895, c.76, s.1; Acts 1935, c.23, s.1.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-82.1**

#### **Vanderburgh circuit court; magistrate; appointment**

Sec. 82.1. The judge of the Vanderburgh circuit court may appoint one (1) full-time magistrate under IC 33-4-7. The magistrate continues in office until removed by the judge.

*As added by Acts 1977, P.L.314, SEC.8. Amended by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.9.*

### **IC 33-4-1-82.2**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-82.3**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-82.4**

#### **Vanderburgh county; inherent powers of judicial mandate**

Sec. 82.4. All inherent powers of judicial mandate in Vanderburgh county remain vested in the judges of the county.

*As added by Acts 1977, P.L.314, SEC.11.*

### **IC 33-4-1-82.5**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-82.6**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-82.7**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.334-1989(ss), SEC.48.)*

### **IC 33-4-1-83**

#### **Vermillion county**

Sec. 83. (a) The county of Vermillion shall be and constitute the forty-seventh judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Vermillion circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1915, c.21, s.1; Acts 1941, c.105, s.1; Acts 1945, c.146, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.20.*

### **IC 33-4-1-83.1**

#### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

**IC 33-4-1-83.2**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

**IC 33-4-1-84**

**Vigo county**

Sec. 84. The county of Vigo shall constitute the Forty-third Judicial Circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1883, c.13, s.3.)*

**IC 33-4-1-85**

**Wabash county**

Sec. 85. The County of Wabash shall constitute the Twenty-seventh Judicial Circuit of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1873, c.29, s.28; Acts 1889, c.16, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-86**

**Warren county**

Sec. 86. (a) The county of Warren shall constitute the twenty-first judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Warren circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1929, c.3, s.1.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.21.*

**IC 33-4-1-86.1**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

**IC 33-4-1-86.2**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

**IC 33-4-1-87**

**Warrick county**

Sec. 87. Warrick county shall constitute the second judicial circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1919, c.8, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-88**

**Washington county**

Sec. 88. (a) The county of Washington shall be and constitute the forty-second judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

(b) The Washington circuit court has a standard small claims and misdemeanor division.

*(Formerly: Acts 1889, c.91, s.1; Acts 1972, P.L.206, SEC.2.) As amended by P.L.167-1984, SEC.22.*

**IC 33-4-1-88.1**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

**IC 33-4-1-88.2**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.167-1984, SEC.92.)*

**IC 33-4-1-89**

**Wayne county**

Sec. 89. The county of Wayne shall constitute the seventeenth circuit.

*(Formerly: Acts 1873, c.29, s.18.)*

**IC 33-4-1-90**

**Wells county**

Sec. 90. The county of Wells shall be and constitute the twenty-eighth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1923, c.66, s.1; Acts 1961, c.233, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-91**

**White county**

Sec. 91. The county of White shall be and constitute the thirty-ninth judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1927, c.9, s.1; Acts 1957, c.34, s.1.)*

**IC 33-4-1-92**

**Whitley county**

Sec. 92. The County of Whitley shall be and constitute the eighty-second judicial circuit of the State of Indiana.

*(Formerly: Acts 1943, c.26, s.1.)*